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TO: PANAMA, LIMA, QUITO.

CODEL-MANSFIELD. Senator Mike Mansfield (D., Mont.) a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, is planning a visit to Latin America, traveling in his capacity as a member of the Committee and as Chairman of the Senate Subcommittee on Technical Assistance. The Senator will be accompanied by Mrs. Mansfield and by Mr. Francis Valeo, Consultant to Foreign Relations Committee.

Senator Mansfield and Mr. Valeo are authorized to utilize local currencies in the Congressional Travel Account 19FT561, in order to defray their official travel expenses.

The provisions of the Handbook for Congressional Foreign Travel apply. Meet on all arrivals, assist through customs, and be prepared to give the necessary assistance to the Senator and Mr. Valeo in the accomplishment of their mission. Appoint Control Officers. Make all hotel reservations and confirm them to the Department. The El Panama in Panama is the only preference indicated by the Senator's party. Where necessary, hotel reservations should be made for a double with bath for the Senator and Mrs. Mansfield and a single with bath for Mr. Valeo.

and Mrs. Mansfield

The Senator will be carrying ~~EXHIBIT MARKERS~~ evening clothes.

Senator Mansfield requests that oral briefings be omitted and that protocol calls be kept to a minimum. He would appreciate it if the Embassies in Lima and Quito would have ready for him upon arrival a five-to-ten-page written summary of the political and economic situation, United States foreign policy and problems, and details of technical assistance programs in each country.

The Senator will be traveling alone, and Mrs. Mansfield and Mr. Valeo will follow the same schedule. Their itineraries are as follows:

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SENATOR MANSFIELD'S ITINERARY

Nov. 26	6:25 p.m.	LV Washington Miami	NAL #701 PAA #701
27	9:20 a.m.	AR Lima	
Dec. 9	8:05 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	LV Lima AR Quito	PG #720
Dec. 11	1:00 p.m. 4:45 p.m.	LV Quito AR Panama	PG #720 El Panama Hotel
Dec. 15 21		LV Panama AR New York	SS ANCON

MRS. MANSFIELD AND MR. VALEO

Nov. 27	6:25 p.m.	LV Washington Miami	NAL #701 PAA #701
28	9:20 a.m.	AR Lima	
Dec. 11	7:45 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	LV Lima AR Quite	PG #720
Dec. 13	1:00 p.m. 4:45 p.m.	LV Quite AR Panama	PG #720
Dec. 15 21		LV Panama AR New York	S.S. ANCON

ICA Missions are requested to report to DD/C-ICA, Washington, in accordance with ICATO Circular A-37.

The Senator's connecting flight from Miami to Lima stops in Panama and leaves Panama on Nov. 27 at 3:15 a.m. Panama should meet and assist.

Mrs. Mansfield and Mr. Valeo's flight from Miami to Lima leaves Panama on Nov. 28 at 3:15 a.m. (PG #701). Meet and assist them, also.

Senator Bourke B. Hickenlooper (R., Iowa), a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, may join the Mansfield party, although his plans are not yet definite. It is requested that tentative reservations be made for Senator Hickenlooper in accordance with those being made for the Mansfield party. The Department will inform the field of Senator Hickenlooper's plans as soon as they are known. He would be authorized to utilize local currencies in the Congressional Travel Account 19FT561, also.

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